



# News Advisory

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## **Northgate Workshop to Improve Pedestrian Connections Planning Commission Hosts Working Session**

Creating a more pedestrian Northgate Urban Center is the focus of a public workshop this Thursday, March 25<sup>th</sup>.

Sponsored by Seattle Planning Commissioners, other design professionals, and City staff, the workshop will give the public an opportunity to help develop ideas and proposals for a framework that connects important destinations, activity nodes, and open space in a way that makes Northgate a pedestrian-oriented urban center. The workshop will look at pedestrian and bicycle connections.

This workshop is part of a series of project activities now underway to implement the City's Northgate Resolution, adopted by the Mayor and Council in December. The Planning Commission will be reporting on its work to the newly established Northgate Stakeholder group, which held its first meeting on March 18.

### **Pedestrian Connections Survey & Tours**

For information about an upcoming pedestrian connections survey and self-guided tours that will provide an "on the ground" look at what exists, as well as gaps and opportunities, contact Barb Wilson at the Seattle Planning Commission.

### **Meeting Details**

**Thursday, March 25, 2004**

4:00–9:00 p.m.

Verity Credit Union Conference Center  
11027 Meridian Avenue North

### **Workshop Registration and Information**

To register or receive more information, visit the [Seattle Planning Commission](http://seattleplanning.com) website or contact:

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